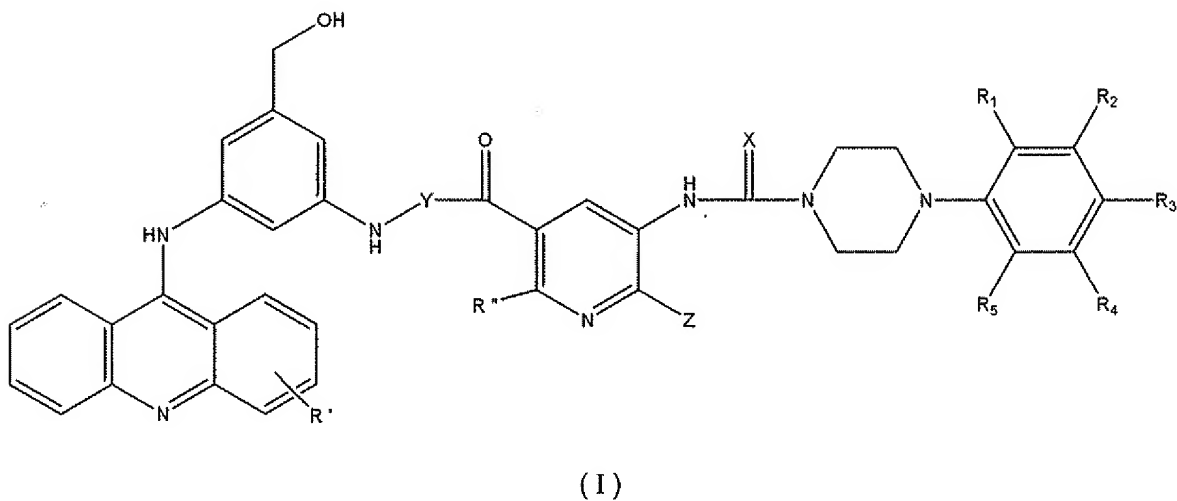


**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

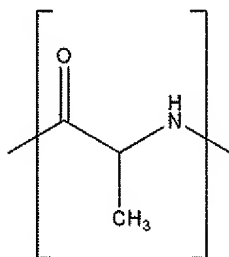
This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claim 1. (Currently amended)                      A compound of the general formula (I)

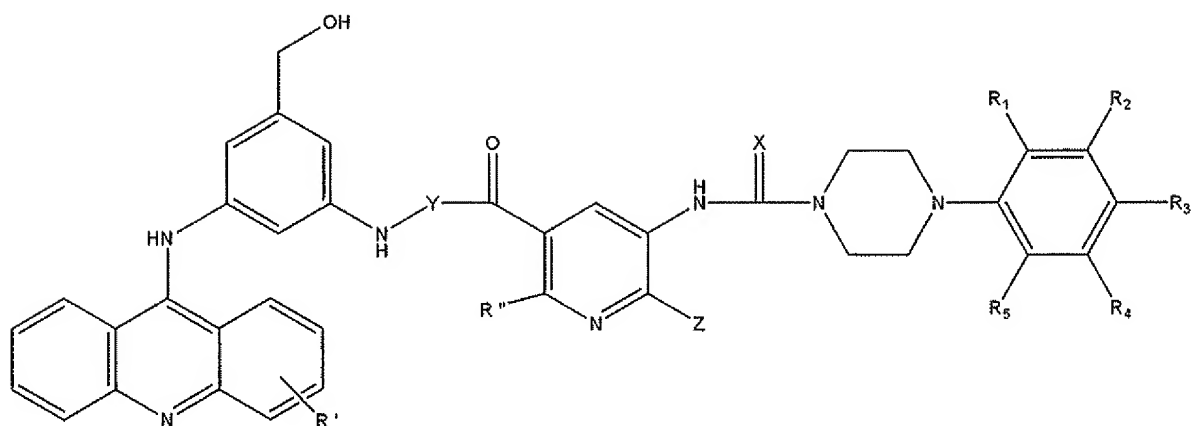


wherein Y is a bond or

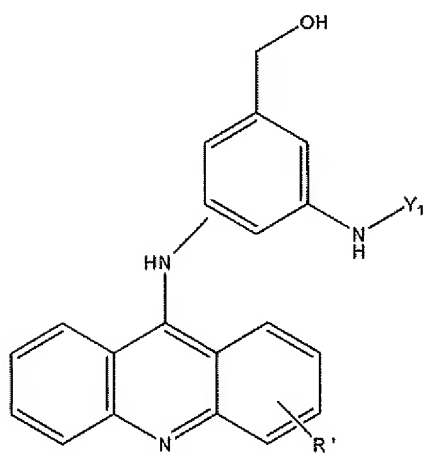


wherein X is oxygen or sulfur, R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>2</sub>, R<sub>3</sub>, R<sub>4</sub> and R<sub>5</sub> are independently hydrogen, halogen, nitro, amino, ~~hydroxyl~~ hydroxyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alkylamino, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkyl or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alkoxy, R' and R'' are independently C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkyl or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alkoxy, and Z is C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alkoxy or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alkylamino or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

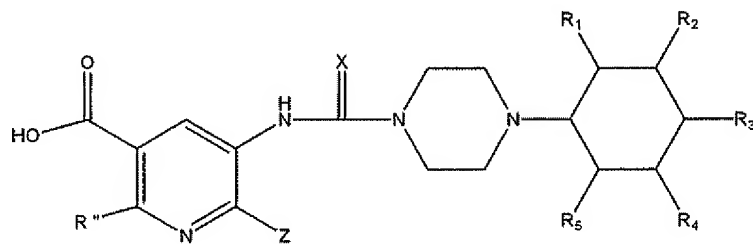
Claim 2. (Currently amended) A process for the preparation of a compound of the following ~~general~~ formula (I) or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, comprising reacting a compound of the following ~~general~~ formula(a) with a compound of the following ~~general~~ formula(b) in the presence of a condensing agent and an acid in an organic solvent to give a compound of the following ~~general~~ formula (I) and if necessary converting the compound of the ~~general~~ formula (I) into the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof[[.]] :



(I)

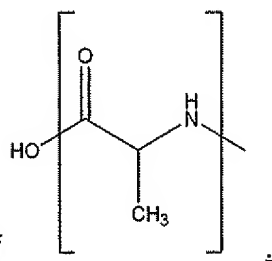


(a)



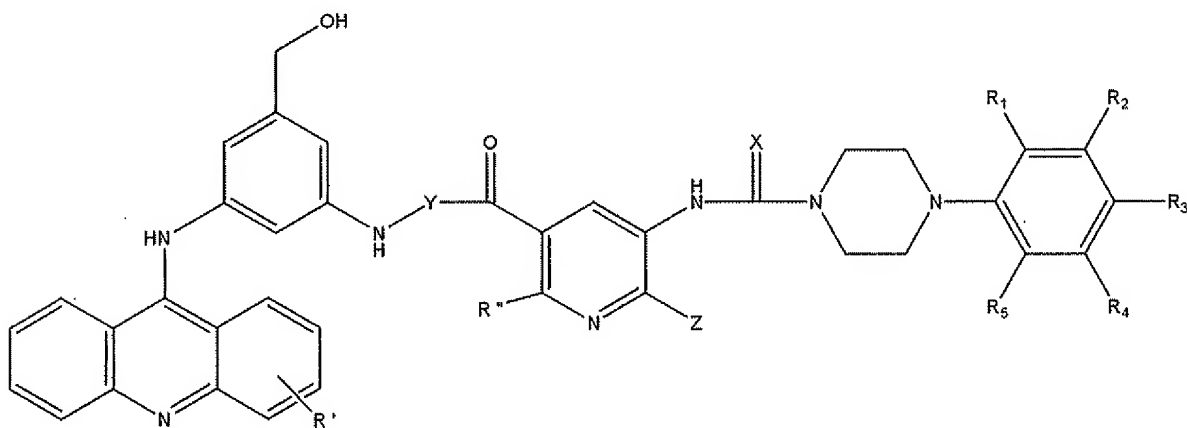
(b)

wherein R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>2</sub>, R<sub>3</sub>, R<sub>4</sub>, R<sub>5</sub>, R', R'', X, Y and Z are as defined above in claim 1 and

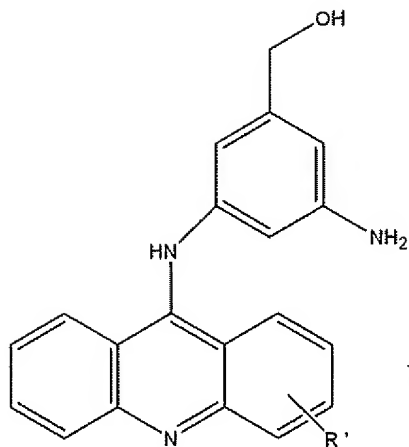


Y<sub>1</sub> is hydrogen or the group of

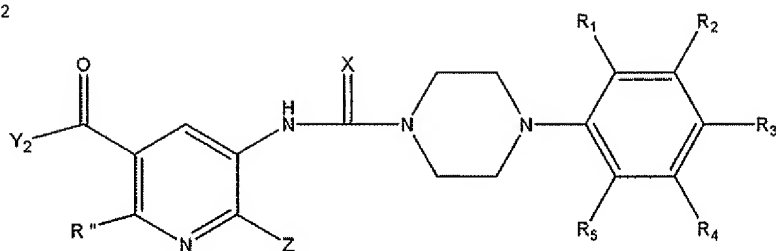
Claim 3. (Currently amended) A process for the preparation of a compound of the following general formula (I) or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, comprising reacting a compound of the following general formula(c) with a compound of the following general formula(d) in the presence of a condensing agent and an acid in an organic solvent to give a compound of the following general formula (I) and if necessary converting the compound of the general formula (I) into the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof[[.]] :



(I)



(c)



(d)

wherein  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ ,  $R_3$ ,  $R_4$ ,  $R_5$ ,  $R'$ ,  $R''$ ,  $X$ ,  $Y$  and  $Z$  are as defined above in claim 1 and

